

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA
EASTERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

EARL LESTER HARRY,

Defendant.

No. CR 06-1052

**ORDER REGARDING
MAGISTRATE'S REPORT AND
RECOMMENDATION
CONCERNING DEFENDANT'S
GUILTY PLEA**

I. INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

On December 7, 2006, a one-count Indictment was returned against the defendant Earl Lester Harry. On June 4, 2007, the defendant appeared before United States Magistrate Judge Jon S. Scoles and entered a plea of guilty to Count 1 of the Indictment. On June 5, 2007, Judge Scoles filed a Report and Recommendation in which he recommended that defendant's guilty plea be accepted. On June 15, 2007, Defendant filed an Objection to the Report and Recommendation. In the court's order dated June 18, 2007, the court overruled Defendant's objections as irrelevant. The court, therefore, undertakes the necessary review of Judge Scoles' recommendation to accept defendant's plea in this case.

II. ANALYSIS

Pursuant to statute, this court's standard of review for a magistrate judge's Report

and Recommendation is as follows:

A judge of the court shall make a de novo determination of those portions of the report or specified proposed findings or recommendations to which objection is made. A judge of the court may accept, reject, or modify, in whole or in part, the findings or recommendations made by the magistrate [judge].

28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). Similarly, Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 72(b) provides for review of a magistrate judge's Report and Recommendation on dispositive motions and prisoner petitions, where objections are made, as follows:

The district judge to whom the case is assigned shall make a de novo determination upon the record, or after additional evidence, of any portion of the magistrate judge's disposition to which specific written objection has been made in accordance with this rule. The district judge may accept, reject, or modify the recommended decision, receive further evidence, or recommit the matter to the magistrate judge with instructions.

FED. R. CIV. P. 72(b).

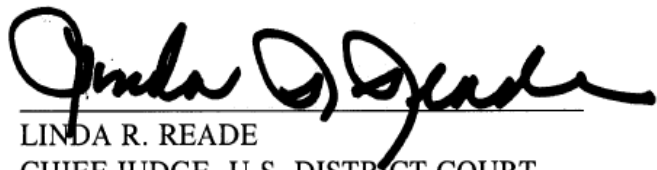
In this case, no objections have been filed, and it appears to the court upon review of Judge Scoles' findings and conclusions, that there is no ground to reject or modify them. Therefore, the court **accepts** Judge Scoles' Report and Recommendation of June 5, 2007, and accepts defendant's plea of guilty in this case to Count 1 of the Indictment.

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. section 3143(a)(2), Defendant's pretrial release is revoked and he shall be detained pending sentence. The court is unable to find by clear and convincing evidence that Defendant is not a danger to any other person or the community. Defendant shall surrender to the United States Marshal at the United States Courthouse in Cedar Rapids, Iowa on or before **10 a.m. on June 19, 2007**. Failure to surrender as

ordered may result in further criminal charges with separate penalties and may result in a higher sentence for the current charges.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 18th day of June, 2007.



LINDA R. READE
CHIEF JUDGE, U.S. DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA